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R 170840Z MAR 77
FM AMEMBASSY MANILA
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 7257
INFO HICOMTERPACIS SAIPAN

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HICOMTERPACIS ALSO FOR STATUS LNO AND DISTAD PALAU

E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SGEN, RP, TQ
SUBJ: PALAUANS IN SAMAR

REF: STATE 058346

1. EMBASSY AWARE OF TRADITION THAT 25 PALAUAN
LOST AT SEA IN 1941 DRIFTED TO PHILIPPINES AND WASHED
UP ON BEACHES OF SAMAR. WE RECALL THAT PALAUANS
VISITORS HAVE ATTEMPTED TO INVESTIGATE THIS POSSIBILITY
DURING VISITS TO PHILIPPINES IN PAST FEW YEARS AND
THAT THEIR QUERIES HAVE GENERATED CONSIDERABLE PUBLICITY
IN LOCAL PRESS. SO FAR WE AWARE ABSOLUTELY NO EVIDENCE
HAS TURNED UP TO SUBSTANTIATE STORY.

2. CONOFF WILL ATTEMPT TO CONFIRM ABOVE IMPRESSION
WITH APPROPRIATE GOP AUTHORITIES. ALSO, CONOFF PLANNING
TO VISIT SAMAR BEFORE END OF MONTH. WILL CHECK STORY WITH
LOCAL OFFICIALS THERE.

3. WILL REPORT FURTHER INFORMATION AS AVAILABLE.
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